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NEW JERSEY JOINS OHIO AND MICHIGAN.



Plurality  
Last  
Spring  
Election.

Canton, McKinley's	537	500
home		
Paterson, Hobart's	537	500
home		

Not the least important feature of the Democratic landslide in New Jersey on Tuesday is the fact that Paterson, the home of the Vice President, a manufacturing city, befriended by protective tariffs, has joined Canton, O., the home of the President, in repudiating the Republican party.

One by one the Spring elections are returning Democracy to power. Ohio and Michigan, two weeks ago, gave big Democratic majorities. President McKinley's home, Senator Foraker's home, and Gov. Bushnell's home, all went Democratic, and now the cyclone has struck Paterson, N. J., the home of Vice President Hobart, and it goes our way.

Results in nearly every city in the State indicate that the voters have already repudiated placing the old-time Democratic commonwealth in the Republican column.

The Franklin Grand Jury has indicted Dr. Hunter, John H. Wilson, E. T. Franks, Capt. Noel Gaines and T. L. Tanner, who were arrested and granted bail in \$250 each. An indictment for perjury is pending against Hunter. Meantime, the latter lodges to the nomination and is dragging his party to dishonor and the State into bankruptcy.

Hon. W. J. Bryan, upon invitation of the Legislature, spoke in Frankfort on Monday. As usual no building was large enough to contain the crowd. The eloquent leader began by saying:

Kentucky and her people are noted for hospitality and kindness to strangers, but this is the first time in my career that I have received an invitation from a State and Legislature a majority of whose officers and members belong to another political party. I have addressed half a dozen Legislatures, but this is the first time such courtesy has been extended to me."

KANSAS IS IN THE hole to the tune of half a million dollars, by the defection of the Republican State Treasurer. The Omaha World-Herald pins this motto at its mast head:

TURN ON THE SEARCHLIGHT.

[From the Fusion City Platform.]  
A change of administration at the capital has revealed a republican defalcation of over \$500,000. We demand that the searchlight be turned on in all offices in the city hall.

This is the party of purification, bullification, and confiscation. Vote them out, where they are in; keep them out where they are out.

SPEAKING OF THE President's appointment of Commissioners to visit foreign countries in the interest of an international monetary conference, which was set forth in the CLIMAX last week, Wm. Jennings Bryan says he thinks the personnel of the commission is excellent, so far as Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Wolcott are concerned. Mr. Paine he did not know.

"Mr. Wolcott's visit abroad last summer," said he, "especially fits him for service as one of the Commissioners, and Mr. Stevenson's conspicuous position in the Democratic party and the nation makes his appointment entirely appropriate. The fact that he is a bi-metalist, and actively supported the Democratic party in the demand for independent action by the United States instead of being an argument against him will lend weight to his influence as one of the Commissioners."

"All independent bi-metalists favor international bimetalism, if that is possible, but do not believe in waiting for other nations to act. The 6,500,000 who supported the demand for independent bimetalism will heartily rejoice if the commission is able to bring about a restoration of international bimetalism."

"But a large majority, if not all independent bi-metalists, regard international bimetalism as a very remote possibility. If the Commissioners fail to secure an international conference, or if successful, and an international conference does not secure foreign co-operation for the restoration of bimetalism, the cause of free silver will be stronger in 1900 than in 1896, because many who have been inclined to rely on foreign aid will see the necessity of self-reliance on the part of the people of the United States."

In the same dispatch came the report that the commission is regarded as a failure by England. The Globe, St. James Gazette and Pall Mall Gazette all ridicule the idea of the United States bimetallic mission having any practical results. This bears out Mr. Bryan's claim that this country must act independent of any other Nation in this matter.

THE long looked-for Dispatch, the organ of Kentucky Democracy and the paper of the people, made its appearance on Sunday last. Described by the majority of city journals, the plain people of the country have now an organ of their own. If they support it, it will be a success; and in that way only can it become a success. It takes first-class patronage to make a first-class paper, and as this is the offering of necessity, all the more important is it that the people should give it instant, encouragement.

Wm. Jennings Bryan started the machinery and received the first copy. The Dispatch believes that the policy which it advocates will be good for the farmer, the mechanic, and the day laborer, and that whatever is for their good is for the good of the merchant, for the good of the banker, for the good of every legitimate business interest, because the

prosperity which becomes general always commences at the bottom and expands upward. Prosperity which begins at the top never descends to the masses of the people except in the form of charity to dependents and beggars.

The most financial man admit that there are at least two sides to the financial question, and the Dispatch stands alone among the daily papers in Louisville on the side which it believes promises the greatest good to the greatest number. It demands a return to the free coinage of gold and silver as the standard money, recognized and prescribed by the Federal constitution. It will endeavor at all times to meet the just expectations of its friends, and to maintain a high standard of excellence in journalism. It naturally expects the support of all true Democrats who believe in its doctrines, and it may reasonably hope for the patronage of those liberal-minded opponents whose breadth of intellect will prompt them to read and inform themselves on both sides of all important public questions.

The Dispatch seized the occasion to urge those who have invested in its stock, and those who are interested in its political success to read the splendid line of advertisements in its columns daily. When buying goods it is but natural that they should buy from those merchants who advertise in their paper and make it a point in every instance to inform the merchant that they patronize him in preference to others because he advertises his business in their paper. This course will insure the business success of The Dispatch, because merchants advertise to secure business, and it will help to secure the success of the cause which the Dispatch advocates. It will help the merchant who advertises in The Dispatch, and thus show that he wants the trade of the regular Democracy, and is willing to patronize their paper.

The National Association of Democrats celebrated the birthday of Thomas Jefferson at Washington with a banquet.

The chief toast of the evening, that of Thomas Jefferson, was entrusted to W. J. Bryan, and his patriotic remarks, uttered in his most forcible style, were listened to with great attention.

Mr. Bryan said in part: "The Democratic party is strong just in proportion as it proves true to the teachings of its great founder. It is the mission of the Democratic party to crystallize into legislation the principles which he taught. The party applies Democratic principles to the issues which arise from time to time. For many years the tariff question was a paramount issue, and the party took a more advanced position each year, until 1892, when it declared itself in favor of a policy which meant substantially a tariff for revenue only."

HOLD CLEVELAND RESPONSIBLE.

"But the President elected at that time, instead of proceeding to carry out that portion of the platform forced upon public attention an issue which had up to that time been considered secondary. Mr. Cleveland, more than any other person in this nation, is responsible for the prominent position which the money question now occupies. It was his determination to complete the demonetization of silver and make the gold standard perpetual that aroused the masses of the United States to active resistance. The struggle for supremacy between the gold standard and bimetalism was recognized as a contest between the money power and the common people. The explicit declaration of free and unlimited coinage at sixteen to one without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation was made necessary by the attempt of certain men to evade preceding platforms."

WHERE DISSENTION BEGAN.

"The party struggle which culminated in the Chicago Convention of necessity alienated a portion of the party. The party was placed in the position where it was compelled to endorse the financial policy of the President or adhere to the doctrines and traditions of the party. The position taken by the Democratic party in 1896 will not be surrendered. "If you doubt the permanency of the Chicago platform as a party creed go among the rank and file of the party and measure the zeal and enthusiasm which that platform has aroused, and you will realize the impossibility of taking a backward step."

"True, the present Administration is seeking to turn public attention to the tariff question, but if our reasoning is well founded, an increase of taxes cannot restore prosperity to the producers of wealth."

"If the Dingley bill brings general and permanent prosperity, the Democratic party will not be in a position to win a contest by opposing it."

"If, on the other hand, the Dingley bill proves a disappointment to those who advocate it, our position of 1896 will be strengthened and public attention will be riveted upon the fact that the cause of financial depression is to be found in our monetary system."

RECENT ELECTIONS ENCOURAGING.

"There is much in recent events to encourage the followers of Thomas Jefferson. The spring elections indicate a growing sentiment along the lines of the Chicago platform. In fact, the elections which have taken place show so great a gain that the Republican party may now be considered a minority party. It has but one hope of escape from the wrath to come, and that is to secure bimetalism by international agreement between the people of the nation have another opportunity to speak at the polls. While we who believe in independent bimetalism generally regard an international agreement as neither necessary nor possible, we may well hope for success, to any one who make the attempt to secure foreign assistance."

EVALUATION OF THE GOLD STANDARD.

"If our opponents succeed in opening the minds of other nations as well as their own minds, we shall rejoice, because the condition of the people will be improved and they will be able to proceed with other remedial legislation. "If, however, the Republican party, after pledging itself to secure international bimetalism, finds it impossible to fulfill that pledge, its expressed preference for a double standard will rise up to condemn it if it attempts to continue longer the evils of the gold standard."

THE PARTY IN POLITICS.

[Louisville Post.]

The noted evangelist, Mr. Moody, takes a position in his religious struggle. In an interview with a reporter of the Post, the Rev. St. Louis, Mr. Moody said: "I believe in having two big parties in a big city as well as in the national campaigns. We need them to watch each other. As for reform parties, we have reform from the men who want to

get into office. When they get in, that is the last we hear of it. I haven't much use for the third parties."

Mr. Moody and Mr. Washington Hesting, late candidate for Mayor of Chicago, appear to be of one mind. In accounting for his defeat—he received 15,000 votes to 140,000 for Harrison—Mr. Hesting said:

"I was the pioneer in the independent movement, and after blazing the way, others were given support and took the fruits of my labors. It simply shows that people who talk so much and loudly of reform don't want it when they have the opportunity of securing it."

These eminent gentlemen thus make strong appeals to the Democrats in this district to get together. But perhaps Mr. Hesting has forgotten an unfortunate statement he made early in the campaign to the effect that more men were in the penitentiary because of woman's extravagance than because of man's dishonesty. The man who imagines that women do not vote is greatly in error.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mamie Hart has returned from Cincinnati.

Miss Kate Walker is visiting Mrs. L. C. Hanna, in Cleveland.

Mrs. L. J. Frazee and Miss Hettie left on Monday for St. Louis.

Miss Katie Blanton has for a guest Miss Lula McDowell, of Danville.

Mr. W. Rodes McDowell, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with his mother.

Mr. J. Quincy Ward, Jr., of Paris, was the guest of Mr. Harvey Chenault, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Cobb and child returned Monday to Omaha, after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Will S. Montgomery and her beautiful baby, Hattie Letcher, of Fiqua, O., are with Mrs. S. P. Walters.

Mrs. J. E. Gott, of Hinton, West Virginia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. K. Gentry, on Hallie-Irvine street.

Miss Nettie Hume, of Irvine, was the guest Saturday and Sunday of her aunt, Mrs. G. E. Lilly, on North street.

Mr. E. B. Evans left on Monday night for Bean Station, Granger county, Tenn., to buy a car load of sheep.

Col. Duncan, the famous genealogist of Jessamine, spent last night with Maj. J. D. Goodloe, at Whites Station.

Misses Hallie Tudor and Mamie Hume, of Irvine, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Claude Smith, on Second street.

After a delightful visit to friends in Michigan and other places in the North, Miss Helen Bennett returned home on Saturday last.

Mr. Hughes Bronston, of Lexington, oldest son of Hon. Charles J. Bronston, was here on Sunday. He is nearly six feet tall and a very handsome young man.

Miss Minna Crutcher left yesterday for Lawrenceburg to visit Mrs. Robert McKee. It is needless to say she will have a great time. She takes good times with her every where.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walden, nee Miss Mary M. Smith, came over on Saturday to visit the latter's brother, Mr. Jas. W. Smith. Mr. Walden returned home on Monday, but his wife will remain here this week.

After a delightful visit to Mrs. Della Ramsey Kenney, near Danville, Miss Anna Frazee returned on Monday. Miss Clara Moore Sherry was also there, and the trio attended the hop by the "Chasse des Fees," at Danville.

CORRESPONDENCE.

NEWBY.

The sick in this vicinity are all better except H. C. Whitaker.

Mrs. Thura Lowery is erecting her a nice residence near this place.

Our merchants, Heathman & Jenkins, are doing a bustling business in their line.

Our townsman, T. J. Millon, has been relieved as storekeeper and ganger at Bogie's distillery.

The Democrats of Million district met at Newby last Saturday to set a day for a primary election for Magistrate and Constable. The 19th day of June is the day named for said election.

WINSTON.

Dr. John S. Turner, of Irvine, was here this week.

D. J. Snowden is confined to his room with a gripe.

W. C. Newman is visiting friends at Ford this week.

Thomas Turpin and family moved to Red House last week.

Author Witt, of Station Camp, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Benton is suffering with stomach trouble and her recovery is doubtful.

Mrs. Emily K. Laine, of Irvine, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Belle Quinn, this week.

Rev. Joe McSwain and wife, of Richmond, were preaching in Estill county last week.

Charles Witt, one of Estill's citizens, left last week for Illinois to make his future home.

John Mansfield, the Winston shoe-maker, has recovered from a long spell of sickness and is now at his post of duty.

Last Saturday was the regular meeting of the Green Broadbent Post G. A. R., but only a few of the old boys were present.

Eld. D. G. Combs, the noted mountain evangelist, preached at Sand Hill Saturday and Sunday. He is doing good work in Estill county.

Mrs. Emma Pearson, of Panola, was here last week looking after a spring school. She is competent and comes well recommended.

Sunday-school at Amerine school house every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. S. W. Elder, superintendent, J. H. Amerine.

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"I have been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism and in October began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I continued its use until January when I could go about as well as any one and I have had no acute pains since." I. W. MINNICK, Grand Isle, Louisiana.

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and Mrs. Bettie Taylor, teachers.

It has been whispered around that C. L. Seavey and A. J. Sharp, two old merchants of twenty-six years experience, will open up a store at Winston.

Nathan Fain has been spoken of to make the race for jailer on the Democratic ticket, but up to this time has not accepted the call of his numerous friends.

T. J. Witt, Constable, while dispossessing a widow woman last week had her son thrown in his face and was threatened with a corn knife, but he discharged his duty as though nothing had happened.

Miss Fannie Portwood, the accommodating gate keeper at Downing Creek, has been suffering with a gripe for several weeks, but her many friends will be glad to know she has recovered and is at her post of duty.

Died, Friday, April 10th, Mrs. Charley Hayslett, of fever. Burial at White Oak Grove grave yard, near Irvine. She was a kind, christian-hearted lady. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of the community in the loss of his dear companion.

PAINT LICK.

Mr. J. C. Rucker spent Sunday with his family at Lancaster.

Messrs. Jno. Wallace and Harry Francis spent Sunday at home.

Miss Patty Creech had her opening of spring millinery last week.

Rev. J. A. Melan preached at Mt. Taber as usual Sunday morning.

Miss Laura Powell, of Lancaster, visited Mrs. W. T. Short last week.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Turley visited her aunt, Mrs. Simmons, last week.

Fish & Co., our "butchers," purchased of Mr. J. W. Palmer, a nice heifer for \$2.

Rev. W. W. Orr, while here was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Rev. A. W. Crawford attended a meeting of Presbytery at Campbellsville last week.

Galloway & Woods shipped to Cincinnati last week two car loads of hogs, having paid \$1c. for them.

Quite a number of persons from Richmond, Lancaster and other places attended the meeting at New Hope.

Miss Elizabeth Lusk, of Point Leavelle, candidate for School Superintendent of Garrard county, was in our midst this week.

Mr. Wm. "Clump," who has been a guard at the Lexington Asylum, has returned home and accepted a clerkship with Lackey & Bro.

One of the most interesting meetings closed Sunday night at New Hope church. Rev. Mr. Plaxo, the pastor, was ably assisted by W. W. Orr, of North Carolina, who is a sound reasoner, eloquent speaker and earnest worker in the cause of Christ. Some thirty odd confessed and a number of returns to the church were a result, but the amount of good done can never be estimated. The church edifice was often crowded to its capacity and many were unable to secure admittance, showing what intense interest was abroad in the community.

BEREA.

The many friends of Miss Jennie Hanson, who has been dangerously ill for the past two weeks, will be glad to learn that she is convalescing rapidly.

Berea College will celebrate Field Day some time in May. The college boys are preparing enthusiastically and a great gala day is anticipated. The date will be given later.

Miss Marguerite Brown, of Toledo, Ohio, who has been bravely fighting off pneumonia for the past few days, is now pronounced out of danger and will soon be able to resume her studies.

The College Glee Club (boys) gave a concert at Kingston last Saturday evening under the able direction of Prof. Thurston, and Monday evening the Young Ladies' rendered an enjoyable program at same place. These two Glee Clubs have been meeting with great success and are warmly welcomed and enthusiastically encored wherever they appear.

Ralph Bingham, of Virginia, the famous "Boy Orator of the Day," who has been winning laurels ever since his sixth year, appeared before a large audience in the College Chapel last Monday evening. On June 14th, 1877, at the age of six, he made his first appearance in the Richmond (Va.) Theatre before an audience of three thousand people. That Bera appreciated the opportunity was proven by the crowded house and the storms of applause. For two hours he held the audience spell-bound. He is undoubtedly without a peer on the American platform.

KINGS STATION.

[Estill County.]

J. H. Turpin, of Portwood, was in town one day last week.

Dr. L. H. Wilson sold his grist mill to Mr. Stephens, of Millers Creek.

Miss Emma Newman, of this place, is visiting her grandfather at Spearsville.

Rev. J. G. Parson, of Cedar Grove, is holding a protracted meeting at Panola this week.

Mrs. Maggie McGowan, of this place, visited Miss Lena Rice at Irvine last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Newman, of Spearsville, Fayette county, made a flying visit to his daughter, Mrs. John Newman, last week.

Mrs. Charley Hayslett died last Saturday morning of malarial fever. Her husband has the sympathy of the community in his sad bereavement.

It was reported through your valuable paper last week that J. T. Turpin had been nominated by the Democrats of this county for Coroner, which is a mistake. The Democrats have had no convention or primary yet and no date has been given as to when it will be held.

Mrs. Johnson, of Pineville, Ky., is mentioned as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools in Bell county.

Beware of Quackery for Catarrh

that contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hood's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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